



RED CLIFF BAND

of Lake Superior Chippewa



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Boozhoo and welcome to the Miisaninawiind weekly newsletter!

The Miisaninawind brings you important news, announcements and updates, designed specifically for the Red Cliff community. But that's not all. The weekly eNewsletter will also provide news about neighboring tribes, communities and broader issues across Indian Country that matter to you.

If you have photos, news or information you'd like to share, please email submissions to communications@redcliff-nsn.gov.

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Red Cliff News & Updates

COVID-19 Community Updates

Various Tribal programs, services, and events have been canceled or temporarily suspended in our efforts to limit the spread of COVID-19.

An up-to-date list of updates and educational resources can be found on the [Red Cliff Band website](#).

New Education and Cultural Preservation Buildings at Cultural Grounds

New buildings will allow community to access services safely

Two new office buildings are being built at the Red Cliff Cultural Grounds in order to house the Education department, Ginanda Gikendaasomin Library, Tribal Historic Preservation Office, and the Native Connections department. The project is scheduled to be completed by mid-October.



The move for these departments comes after community feedback valuing the importance of quality programming related to education and cultural preservation, as well as the need to adhere to proper social distancing protocol and safe environments for community members to access these services during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Other locations were considered; however, it was determined the Cultural Grounds provided the best fit for these two buildings and departments. The Cultural Grounds cover roughly 40 acres. The new buildings will occupy a very small portion of the Cultural Grounds as they are approximately only 36' x 60' structures.

One building will have the Education department and will have the library relocated from the Tribal Administration building. The other office building will have Tribal Historic Preservation and the Native Connections department staff.

“We are very happy that the library in Red Cliff will have its own space, which will allow us to share our collection of Native American focused literature, new resources for community members attending online schooling, and spaces with open wireless internet access for our patrons to use,” said Jared Blanche, Education and Library Director. “We look forward to having the Ginanda Gikendaasomin Library being a space for reading, studying, quiet conversations, traditional stories, and community events.”

Native Connections Project Manager Mark Gokee said these buildings are the start of more offerings to the community for maintaining and developing our resilience through Red Cliff culture and teachings. THPO will also be able to provide more cultural preservation activities.

“This facility will afford much needed space to ensure a safe work area and programming for staff and community,” said Marvin Defoe, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer. “This will be a learning place for our community now and into the future.”

The project is being funded by the Department of Treasury CARES Act, and Black Wolf Construction is completing the site work and foundation for the buildings. The actual buildings are being purchased through Sustainable Modular Management.

Contact the Tribal Administration Building with any questions at 715-779-3700.

For information on the Ginanda Gikendaasomin Library and Tribal Historic Preservation Office, visit www.redcliff-nsn.gov.

For information on Native Connections and services available, visit www.redcliffhealth.org.

Stay at Home Resolution Remains In Effect

The Red Cliff Stay at Home Resolution remains in effect until further notice. All Red Cliff Reservation residents should stay at home except to engage in essential activities.

The Resolution comes after the Red Cliff Community Health Center confirmed an outbreak of positive COVID-19 cases within the reservation boundaries.

Click [HERE](#) to view the signed Resolution, including exceptions to the Stay at Home directive.

Click [HERE](#) to view more COVID-19 updates and resources.

GUIDANCE FOR ESSENTIAL ACTIVITIES AND MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RED CLIFF STAY AT HOME ORDER, RCCHC IS RECOMMENDING AVOIDANCE OF ALL NON-ESSENTIAL ACTIVITIES.

THE RED CLIFF COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER REMAINS OPEN DURING NORMAL BUSINESS HOURS. MANY MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS CAN BE DONE OVER THE PHONE. TO SPEAK WITH A PROVIDER ABOUT A MEDICAL ISSUE, PLEASE CALL THE CLINIC AT 715-779-3707 TO SET UP A VIRTUAL VISIT.

VISIT REDCLIFF-NSN.GOV TO VIEW THE STAY AT HOME ORDER. HERE ARE SOME EXAMPLES OF NON-ESSENTIAL AND ESSENTIAL ACTIVITIES.

AVOID

Routine medical appointments, such as an annual physical or well child check.

Non-urgent medical/dental appointments, such as a flare up of arthritis or back pain.

All non-essential travel of any distance for any duration.

Recreational activities, such as group sports participation.

Socializing with friends and family in person, especially if they are 60 or older or have chronic health conditions.

Any mass gathering, religious or otherwise, of any number.

GO AHEAD WITH

A doctor's visit if you are sick, but call ahead regarding your visit.

Leisure walks by yourself or with a friend, making sure to keep a 6-foot distance.

Yard work or snow removal around the home.

Walking your dog.

Picking up medication or groceries.

Checking in on an elderly person or a vulnerable friend, making sure to keep a 6-foot distance.

CULTURAL CONSULTANT NEEDED

THE RED CLIFF TRIBAL COURT IS SEEKING A CULTURAL CONSULTANT THAT HAS ASSISTED WITH CHILDREN AND FAMILIES WHO HAVE EXPERIENCED TRAUMA.

The Consultant would have knowledge and skills on how to assist children and families from a traditional perspective. Experience with traditional Healing to Wellness Court practices preferred.

Visit redcliff-nsn.gov/newslist.php to view the position details and application requirements.



Proposals are due by 4:00 PM on September 28, 2020

Proposed Constitution Changes



The Red Cliff Constitution Committee is proposing important changes to its Constitution and is seeking feedback from Red Cliff Tribal Members.

Please review the proposed changes and information below, then provide feedback by emailing constitutioncomments@redcliff-nsn.gov, or by bringing written comments to the Tribal Administration Building at 88455 Pike Rd. by October 15, 2020. Due to COVID-19, we are unable to listen to in-person comments. Recommendations will be made by the Constitution Committee to the Red Cliff Tribal Council.

[Click here to view the proposed changes and to learn why these changes are being proposed.](#)

Community Members Needed To Serve on Government Committees

COMMUNITY MEMBERS

The Tribal Council is seeking individuals to serve on the following
Committees, Boards, and Commissions

HOUSING BOARD (2) members

Housing Board meets the 3rd Wednesday of each month, at 5:00 pm
at RCHA/Elderly).

HEALTH BOARD (2) members

Health Board meets the 4th Wednesday of each month at the
Red Cliff Health Center at 5:00 p.m.

HUMAN/FAMILY SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE (2) members

Committee meets the 2nd Wednesday of each month at the Human/Family
Services Building at 4:45 p.m.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE (5) members

Committee meets the 2nd Wednesday of each month at the
Administration Building at 2:00 p.m.

FISHING COMMITTEE (5) members (2) Alternates

Meetings are set when needed and posted.

*If you are interested in serving on any of the Committees, please pick up and drop off an
application at the front desk of the Tribal Administration Building.*

*Please keep in mind the times they meet,
so you are able to commit and serve on the Committees.
If you have any questions, please call 715-779-3700.*

DEADLINE: September 30th, at 4:00 p.m.

Chapter 60 Approved - Added to Code of Laws

On September 17, 2020 the Red Cliff Tribal Council passed Chapter 60 - Emergency Declarations to be added to the Red Cliff Code of Laws.

This addition is effective immediately.

Click [HERE](#) to view Chapter 60, or visit www.redcliff-nsn.gov and click on Code of Laws under the Tribal Government tab.

Proposed Addition to Code of Laws

To all interested persons:

You are hereby notified that the following addition to the Red Cliff Code of Laws has been proposed to the Red Cliff Tribal Council by the Red Cliff Legal Department:

Add Chapter 40 - Exclusion and Removal of Non-Members.

Click [HERE](#) to view the proposed ordinance.

Public comment on this proposal is encouraged. Please drop your comments at the Tribal Administration building or forward them directly to the Tribal Council. This proposal will be voted upon on Tuesday September 22, 2020 at the Regular Meeting of the Red Cliff Tribal Council. If the Council enacts this code, the code shall become effective upon enactment.



Council Meeting September 22

The Red Cliff Tribal Council meeting scheduled for September 22 will be held virtually.

Community comments and concerns can be sent to secretary@redcliff-nsn.gov to be announced during the meeting.

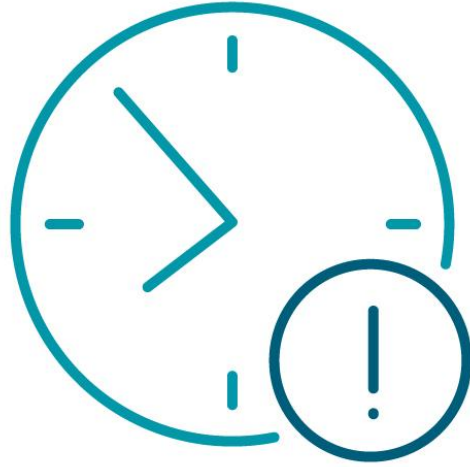
Click [HERE](#) for the meeting agenda.

Complete the U.S. 2020 Census

Tribal Members, please respond to the U.S. 2020 Census if you haven't already! It's quick, easy, and answers are kept confidential.

Click [HERE](#)!

Time is running out. Respond now.



Shape
your future
START HERE >

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Census
2020

Tribal Members Urged to Vote in November 3rd Election

Dear Tribal Member:

Tuesday, November 3rd is Election Day for state and federal government races, and we want to ensure that every eligible member of our community can cast their ballot. **This letter contains information about how to vote in the 2020 election.**

These are the steps you need to take to vote:

1. Register to vote online by October 14th. Website is listed down below. You need a proof of residency document. You can also register to vote at the polls on the day of the election which is November 3, 2020.
2. Vote by mail:
 3. **The deadline to request an absentee ballot is October 2nd, 2020 at 5:00p.m.** However, we strongly encourage you to request your absentee ballot as soon as possible - ideally by October 14th - so that you receive it on time.
 4. Fill out and return your absentee ballot. Your clerk's office must receive your ballot by November 3rd (Clerk's contact information is located on the bottom of this letter).
5. OR register and vote in person on Election Day, November 3rd.

Register to Vote

In order to vote, you must first register to vote by providing a proof of residence. This can be 1.) a utility bill, 2.) residential lease, 3.) hunting license, 4.) Conceal Carry license, 5.) paycheck, 6.) IRS check, 7.) bank statement, 8.) student ID and fee receipt, 9.) affidavit from homeless shelter or 10.) driver's license.

You can register to vote until October 14th here: wcv.votewisconsin.com. If you miss this deadline, you can register in person on Election Day when you vote on November 3rd. If you register in person, you will need to bring your proof of residence to register and a photo ID to vote. A tribal ID will work as well.

Request an Absentee Ballot

Once you are registered to vote, you can request an absentee ballot. This allows you to safely vote by mail so that you don't have to wait in line at the polling station. **The deadline to request an absentee ballot is October 29th at 5:00p.m.** You can request your absentee ballot here: wcv.votewisconsin.com/absentee. You will need to upload a picture of your photo ID. We strongly encourage you to request your absentee ballot as soon as possible so that you receive it in time.

Everyone in Wisconsin needs to show a photo ID when they vote. This could be your WI Tribal ID card, WI driver's license, WI state ID, or a passport. For a full list of acceptable photo IDs, visit our website: ConservationVoices.org/NativeVote.

Fill Out and Return Your Absentee Ballot

Once you fill out your absentee ballot, you will place it in the envelope provided. You will need to sign the envelope and write your address below your signature. You will also need a witness to sign the envelope and write their address on the envelope.

Absentee ballots must be received by Tue Nov 3, 2020 before 8:00PM. We encourage you to return your ballots as soon as possible. You can return your absentee ballot by mail, at an absentee ballot drop box if your clerk has designated one, or on the day of the election. If you are unsure of local rules, you can find your clerk's office here: myvote.wi.gov/en-us/MyMunicipalClerk.

Vote in Person on Election Day

If you plan to vote in-person on the day of the election, you will need to bring a photo ID. You can use your tribal ID (even if it's expired), driver's license, military ID or U.S. Passport. You can find more information about valid ids at: <https://bringit.wi.gov/do-i-have-right-photo-id>. You can find your polling place here: myvote.wi.gov. Once you search for your home address at this link, you can find out the address and hours of your polling location. This polling location may be different from the polling location you attend when voting in tribal elections.

Questions?

If you have questions about voting or if someone you know needs an ID, please call the non-partisan helpline 608-285-2141 and trained volunteers will call you back. You can also visit the Wisconsin Native Vote web page for updated and detailed information: ConservationVoices.org/NativeVote.

We are working with Wisconsin Native Vote to ensure everyone in our community can vote. Thank you for your participation.

Town of Russell Clerk:

David L Good

35900 State Highway 13

Bayfield, WI 54814

Phone: (715)779-5338

Fax: (715)779-0249

Email: TOWNOFRUSSELL@CENTURYTEL.NET

Health & Wellness

Free Drive Up

NARCAN TRAINING

Friday, September 25, 2020

9:00 a.m.-Noon

LW Casino & Resort Parking Lot

*Receive training (15 minutes), Narcan/Naloxone Kit &
Emergency Resources Information!*

Social distancing protocols will be followed.



For more information call
715-779-3707 ext. 2320



**YOU
NARCAN 
SAVE LIVES**

The Noojimo'iwewin Center

*is temporarily closed in response to the
Red Cliff Tribe's Stay-at-Home order.*

*Our staff is still available by phone or email.
Please call 715-779-3707, Ext. 2450 for Cassie or
Extension 2451 for Ed and leave a message -we will
return your call as soon as we can.*

Or email us at:

Ed : emetelica@redcliffhealth.org

Cassie: cmccrow@redcliffhealth.org



Miigwech for your understanding.

Wear a mask, wash your hands, stay safe ❤️

Behavioral Health Support Line

Stressed? Feeling out of control? Worried? Frustrated?

If you are having a hard time coping and adapting during this time, our behavioral health staff are available to support you, listen to you, offer emotional support and help you develop new ways to cope during this time.

Behavioral Health Support Line

Monday-Friday

8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Direct line: 715-779-3509

"We will get through this together"

24 Hour Support/ Crisis Services

Bayfield County Mental Health Crisis Line 1-866-317-9362

Northland Counseling 715-682-2141

Memorial Medical Center 715-685-5373

911 if threat to harm self or others



Click [**HERE**](#) to access the full Behavioral Health September Newsletter.



Behavioral Health Department

MH & AODA Outpatient • CCS • CST • TOR • RCTREE • CTAS

Native Connections • Noojimo'iwewin • MWC

September 2020 NEWSLETTER

Featured Articles & Updates

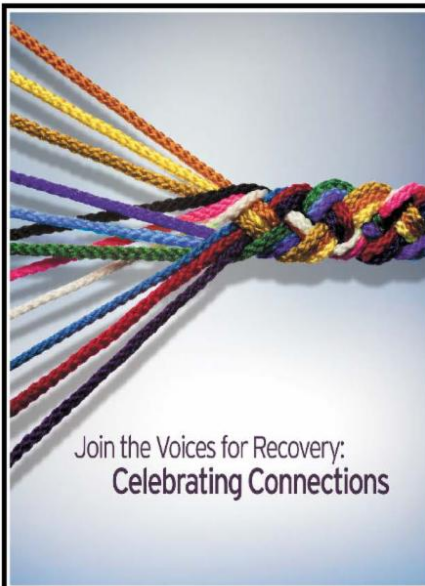
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Boozhoo from the Behavioral Health Team!

*We are excited to bring you news that you may find helpful. We hope to be able to provide information that you can use or share with others if you feel you are **currently** experiencing hard times, feeling down, or may not feel like you have anywhere to go.*

*Please use this newsletter as a resource for you to know you are **NOT** alone, and there are services that are here to help right in our own community!*

During the month of September, we want the community to become more aware of the RC TREE Program!



Join the Voices for Recovery:
Celebrating Connections

September is Recovery Month!

Please join us as we celebrate the fact that Recovery is Possible!

Each September, Recovery Month works to promote and support new recovery treatments and practices, the emergence of a strong and proud recovery community, and the dedication of service providers and community members who make recovery in all its forms possible.

It has been said that the opposite of addiction is connection.

Experiencing the fellowship that happens during 12-Step Recovery meetings, and receiving Peer Support, connects you with others who understand where you are in your life, have been there themselves and can share their recovery stories to help and inspire you on your recovery journey.

Red Cliff Behavioral Health Department is dedicated to helping you in your recovery and can connect you to AODA & Behavioral Health services, Recovery Groups and Peer Support.

Please call 715-779-3741 for more information.



Red Cliff Pharmacy

We are **continuing to offer curbside pickup** for your convenience and safety during this pandemic.

We are **requesting all pharmacy pick ups be curbside** unless you are already coming into the clinic for another reason.

Please request your refills like you always have but **call the pharmacy at 715-779-3157 and schedule a pickup day/time** to let us know your **vehicle model and color**.

There are signs outside the front of the clinic indicating where to park after you have made us aware you will be here.

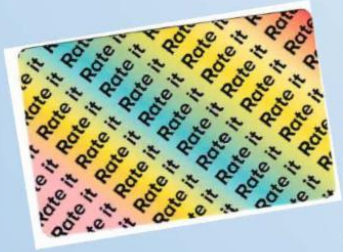
If you are receiving a **new medication or have any questions** at all a pharmacist would like to talk to you. **Please call us at 715-779-3157** and ask for a pharmacist.

Please continue to wash your hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, disinfect hard surfaces in your home and "Stay Safer at Home".

If you are **quarantined or unable to make it to the clinic**, please let us know and we will help you to get your medication safely.



With the recent increase in COVID-19 cases, you may be feeling more anxiety and stress. Knowing healthy ways to cope with stress can be helpful in reducing these and may boost your emotional health. There are times you may feel the negative in your life outweighs the positive. These thoughts can lead to feelings of anxiety or depression. When these feelings are felt, stress may cause a person to feel overwhelmed and to retreat into a negative headspace. Next time you feel these intense feelings, consider trying one of the hyper-quick exercises provided, as the exercises encourage a person to take a moment to pause and relax before feelings begin to further escalate. The first exercise shows a technique that can be used to cool down when experiencing elevated emotions; while the second exercise encourages a person to not fixate on the negative and to instead try thinking in a more positive light.



- Rate your anxiety from 1 to 10 – Give a score to the anxiety you are feeling, on a scale of 1 (lowest) to 10 (highest).
- Set a timer for 1 minute – For the next 60 seconds, allow yourself the opportunity to unwind and breathe. As you engage in this step, try to let the world pass by you.
- Remember, all things pass – Remind yourself that the sensations you feel from being overwhelmed, like a racing heart or a heated face will eventually come to pass. If it helps, say this phrase silently to yourself,

- Rate your anxiety again – After a minute, rate your anxiety again on a scale of 1 to 10 – has it gone down? Is there a difference, even by a half a point?
- Repeat if needed – Continue this exercise until your feelings of anxiety begin to dissipate, and you feel more comfortable to reengage with your day.

- Think over your day so far – Let your mind reflect on the day you are having. Ask yourself questions like, “What did I do today?” and “Who have I spent time with?”
- Identify 3 good things – Try to come up with 3 moments that made you smile. Examples could include receiving a compliment, spending time on an activity you enjoy, or accomplishing a job. That’s one out of the three right there, can you think up two more?



- Make a note of them – Once you come up with your 3 good things, write them down. You can write this onto whatever item you'd like. This can include a journal, computer, or your phone.
- Enjoy the memories – Think about your 3 good things again, what about those things made you smile? Take this opportunity to also think back on those moments and enjoy them again by remembering them in detail.



(Source: 2020, Knightsmith, P. Dr. Cards against anxiety)

Click [HERE](#) for COVID-19 Updates and Resources.

Family & Human Services






September 2020

Red Cliff Elderly Menu

All Meals Subject to Change without notice

All Meals Served with 1% milk

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Salisbury Steak Mashed Potato Corn Apple Sauce	2 Pepperoni/ Sausage Pizza Cucumber, Tomato, On- ion Chickpea Salad Mandarin Oranges	3 Tomato Basil Soup Grilled Cheese Carrot Sticks Peaches	4 * No Service* Employee Appreciation Day 	5 Sack Lunch Grilled Chicken Sandwich Tossed Salad Chips Cookie
7 *No Service* Tribal Holiday Labor Day 	8 Spaghetti W/ Meat Sauce Tossed Salad Bread Sticks Cottage Cheese/ Peaches	9 Beef Chop Suey W/ Mixed Vegetable Rice Bread Stick Fortune Cookie	10 Beef Stew W/ Vegetables Corn Bread Peaches	11 French Toast Sausage Patty Scrambled Egg Fruit Cocktail	12 Sack Lunch Tuna Salad Sandwich Carrot Sticks Fruit Cup Cookie
14 Cream of Chicken W/ Mixed Vegetables Rice Bun Pears	15 Chicken Fajitas Black Beans & Rice Apricots	16 Beef Stroganoff Egg Noodle Broccoli Ambrosia Salad	17 Boiled Dinner W/ Ham & Vegetables Dinner Roll Blueberry Crisp	18 Teriyaki Chicken W/ Rice & Vegetables Bread Sticks Fortune Cookie	19 Sack Lunch Ham & Cheddar Pasta Salad Celery Sticks/ P. Butter Fruit Cup
21 Baked Fish French Fries Cole Slaw Pudding	22 Polish Sausage W/ Bun Tater Tots Corn	23 Tater Tot Hot Dish W/ Mixed Vegetable Bun Fruit Cocktail	24 Cheesy Broccoli Soup/ Ground Bologna Sandwich/ Cherry Cobbler	25 Scrambled Egg Sausage Links Hash browns Biscuit/ Blueberry Buckle	26 Sack Lunch BBQ rib Sandwich Carrot Sticks Chips/ Fruit Cup
28 Hamburger Gravy Mashed Potato Corn Bun Apple Sauce	29 BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich Potato Wedges Baked Beans Cole Slaw	30 *No Service* Treaty Day 			

Red Cliff Food Shelf is open by appointment

The Red Cliff Food Shelf provides an assortment of food items to families in need.

Families may visit the Red Cliff Food Shelf once a month, receiving two to three days' worth of groceries.

This is meant to be emergency and supplemental food.

If you are interested in the Red Cliff Food Shelf, call the Red Cliff Family & Human Services office at 715-779-3706 and set up a time with one of our staff members (usually within 24 hours of call). Any of our staff here at the Family & Human Services office are willing to assist you and/or your family in this time of need.

Various Family and Human Services offerings have unique guidelines and hours in response to COVID-19.

See the Notices section toward the top of this newsletter for more information. You can also call the Family Human Services Division at 715-779-3706.

Education

ECC Letter to Families: Welcome and Expectations

Boozhoo! We hope that all our children and families are doing well.

We are writing this letter to update you on what services will look like this fall. We know that things are challenging right now and we hope that we can alleviate some of your challenges by providing you an update on what you can expect from us at the ECC and also what you can do to make this a successful school year.

Our school year will begin on Tuesday September 22nd and will run Tuesday through Friday until further notice.

Please click [HERE](#) to read the Welcome and Expectations Letter to ECC Families.



*The Red Cliff Early Childhood Center is seeking members
to sit on the
2020-2021 Policy Council*



Policy Council Board:

This council is comprised of (2) Head Start parents, (2) Early Head Start Home Based Parents, (1) EHS center-based Parent, 2) Community Representatives and (1) Tribal Liaison.

Duties:

- The Policy Council has important decision-making responsibilities for the overall operations of the ECC Programs such as hiring of staff, grant applications/budgets, termination of staff, parent activity fund purchases, ECC policies etc.
- The Policy Council will meet monthly.
- There are circumstances that come when special meetings are needed throughout the program year.

Election Voting:

Policy Council elections are held at the first family night in September, but due to COVID 19 and the stay at home order we will be doing a virtual survey to all the ECC families.

If you are interested, please contact **Cindy Garrity** @ 715-779-5030 ex 2551 or email her at cindy.garrity@redcliff-nsn.gov

The Four Values Song

Written and Sang by Julie Erickson "Ms. J" from the Red Cliff Early Childhood Center.

Parents please share and learn this with your children! It is a great way for our children to learn about these four values.



Free Meals for Children Notice From Bayfield School District

Starting September 8th, the Bayfield School District is changing food distribution to PICK UP, not delivery, due to a change from the USDA.

The USDA has issued the District a waiver to feed all children from 0 to age 18 breakfast and lunches through December 22nd.

The District will return to using the food distribution sites that were used at the end of last school year.

Please see the below flyer for more information.



FREE BREAKFAST, & LUNCHES FOR ALL CHILDREN AGES 0 THROUGH 18



Starting 9/8/2020 food distribution will begin at 11:00 a.m. and end at 12:00 p.m. Please see the schedule below for days of the week meals will be provided.

- Breakfasts – Starting Tuesday, 9/8 and Mondays starting 9/14/20 will include 5 meals
- Lunches – Thursdays starting 9/10 will include 5 meals.

Questions? Call the School District of Bayfield Food Service Manager, Karen Boutin, at 715-779-3201 ext. 211.

If any student/family needs transportation to a food distribution site, please call the Miskwaabekong Transit at 715-682-9664. There will be no charge to you for this ride.

Red Cliff Food Distribution Sites

Food Distribution
Building
Hillside Playground
New Housing's
Parking Lot
Birch Bark Trail Park

All Other Sites

Bayfield School
Main Entrance
La Pointe School

Thank you to our community partners:

Farmhouse on Madeline
Island
Red Cliff Band of Lake
Superior Chippewa

Outdoor Experiential Scholarship

Apply by October 1st for the Northern Wisconsin Outdoor Experiential Education Scholarship!

Click [HERE](#) for more information and application instructions.

This scholarship pays up to \$1000 to Chequamegon Bay area residents in order to participate in outdoor programs through programs like Outward Bound, Wilderness Inquiry or Northland College.

Follow the link above to find out more or contact the Duluth Superior Area Community Foundation at scholarships@dsacommunityfoundation.com.

**88385 Pike Rd.
Bayfield, WI**



ARE YOU A GRAPHIC DESIGNER!!

Want to do what you love and get paid!!??

If you're interested in this opportunity
please contact Jared Blanche with the
Red Cliff Education Department via
email at Jared.Blanche@redcliff-nsn.gov



Boys and Girls Club of Gitchigami

Virtual Lessons

Boys and Girls Club staff have created Virtual Daily Lessons for youth to follow while the Club is closed due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Lessons incorporate fitness and fun, fine arts, virtual field trips, mental workouts, and lessons on character, leadership, and service!

Click [HERE](#) to access!

Join us for the



November 2-4, 2020

Spots open for 10 Lucky Teens!

Register with:

Paige Moilanen at paige.moilanen@redcliff-nsn.gov or call 715-209-6222

For a chance to get some

BE THERE SWAG!

Connect with peers, Dynamic Speakers, Team Activities,

prizes, fun, and a [Virtual Dance Party!](#)



#NativeClubsTeenSummit2020



Calling all Club Members ages 10-17



Sign up for MyFuture.net!

GREAT FUTURES START **HERE.**



Young people are drawn to spaces where they can engage with their peers, learn new things, express themselves and earn recognition. Nobody does this better than the Boys & Girls Clubs. With MyFuture, Clubs can reach young people online to provide rich opportunities for fun, learning and positive youth development.

Here's How It Works for Youth:

- MyFuture is a platform designed to engage youth across BGCA's program areas. Youth ages 10 and older take part in 21st century learning activities including STEM, leadership, career exploration and much more.

To create a MyFuture account:

Have Club members click the "sign up" button on the top right-hand corner of the screen.

Club Members Self-Registration:

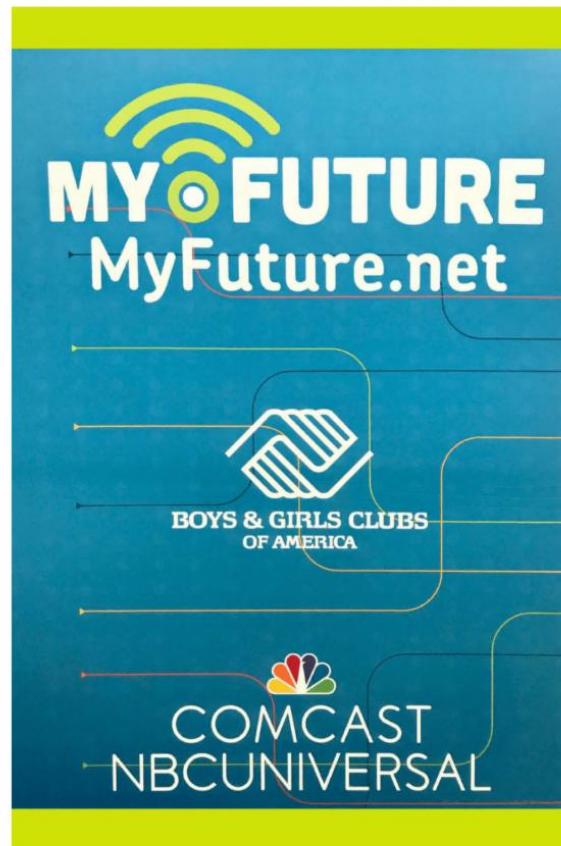
Select "I am currently a member of a Club"

Fill in your First Name, Last Name, Month and Year of Birth, and Gender.

Select the "State" the Club is in and the "City" the Club is located in to find their Club. Staff must approve these accounts for members.

Fill in a password. Remember to write the username and password down. If you forget it, your Club staff will be able to retrieve it for you.

You will not be able to log in until your Club staff has approved your account.



Complete the fields below with your personal info:

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<input type="text" value="Female"/>	<input type="text" value="WI"/>	<input type="text" value="BAYFIELD"/>
<input type="text" value="Boys & Girls Club of Gitchigami-42767"/>		

Create your own profile password

<input type="password" value="Password *"/>	<input type="password" value="Confirm password *"/>
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* Required field

SUBMIT

Make sure your "Find My Club" section has the Boys & Girls Club of Gitchigami selected, so staff can approve youth.

Any questions please email Paige at paige.moilanen@redcliff-nsn.gov

GREAT FUTURES START **HERE.**



BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS
OF THE RED CLIFF BAND OF
LAKE SUPERIOR CHIPPEWA

Gitchigami

Treaty Natural Resources

NEW BUSINESS HOURS for Red Cliff Transfer Station

Effective October 1, 2020

HOURS OF OPERATION

MON	CLOSED	to	CLOSED
TUES	10: 00 AM	to	6:00 PM
WED	CLOSED	to	CLOSED
THUR	10: 00 AM	to	6:00 PM
FRI	CLOSED	to	CLOSED
SAT	8:00 AM	to	12:00 PM
SUN	CLOSED	to	CLOSED



If there are any questions,
please reach the Environmental
Department at 715-779-3650 or
Transfer Station at
715-779-0171.

Mino Bimaadiziiwin Farm Stand

Thursdays and Fridays

10am—4pm

Fresh vegetables and herbs available!

Self-serve, pay what you can.



Please social distance, wear a mask, and use the hand sanitizer provided.

Questions? Call (715) 779—3782

ATTENTION PATRONS:



To ensure the public health and safety at the Red Cliff Transfer Station, please review the following:

- ♦ **ALL BAGS MUST BE TAGGED.** Tags can be purchased at the Tribal Administration, Peterson's Store, and Buffalo Bay Gas Station.
- ♦ If you are able, please dispose of **tagged bags** directly into the compactor. See red arrow in photo.
- ♦ If you are unable to throw **tagged bags**, please leave your **tagged bags** by the compactor. See red box outlining drop off area in photo.



Please contact 715-779-3650 or 715-779-0171, if there are any questions.

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Red Cliff Environmental Department

Housing Authority

Click **HERE** to visit the Red Cliff Chippewa Housing Authority webpage.



RED CLIFF CHIPPEWA HOUSING AUTHORITY

37645 New Housing Road Bayfield, WI 54814
(715) 779-3744 (715) 779-5044 Fax

Public Notice

The Housing Authority will remain closed to the public from 9/21/2020 – 10/02/2020
(performing only essential services).

CLOSED FOR TREATY DAY HOLIDAY ON 9/30/2020

Emergency Work Orders will be responded to/addressed.

"An emergency is an event that poses an immediate threat to safety or health, or might cause further damage to property if not corrected immediately. The following are considered to be emergency situations:

1. Water-related issues: water pipe break; sump pump issues; plumbing back-up, overflows; consistent running (sinks, toilets); leaks in roof, windows, walls.
2. Lack of electricity or heat in the unit.
3. Non-working appliances & alarms – range, refrigerator, washer, dryer, smoke & carbon monoxide alarms.
4. Crisis Events -Fires, Accidents, Natural Disaster, Vandalism, Break-ins.

Housing Maintenance On-Call Number: 715-209-0200 (Weekends & After Hours)

Housing Maintenance Number – Regular Business Hours: 715-779-3744, ext. 3508

Garbage Pick-Up

Regular garbage pick-up will be done as scheduled. Housing tenants may put an unlimited amount of untagged garbage bags out for pick-up during this time period.

Rent/Deposit Payments & Tenant Documents

Payments can be made electronically – contact Jean Defoe at extension 3504; or via money order by regular mail. A receipt will be mailed back to you. Please mail in or email occupancy documents.

Client Contacts:

- Tenant Matters – ext. 3501 or CHyde@redcliffhousing.org
- Homebuyer/Homeowner Matters – ext. 3516 or cbutterfield@redcliffhousing.org

Thank you for your patience & understanding. We apologize for any inconvenience.

September 17, 2020 |||



RED CLIFF CHIPPEWA HOUSING AUTHORITY

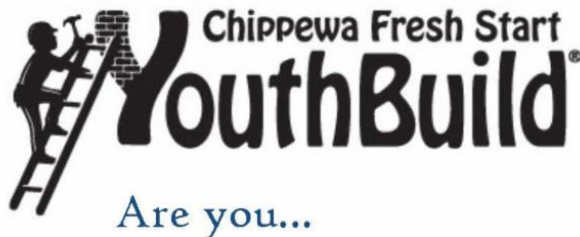
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AGENDA

Regular Monthly Board Meeting
Wednesday – September 23, 2020
3:30PM – Red Cliff Elderly Center

1. Call to order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of Agenda
4. Community Input/Tenant Association
5. Regular Session
 - a. Approval of Minutes
 - i. 8/19/2020 (regular)
 - b. Reports
 - i. Occupancy/Resident Services – Colleen Hyde
 - ii. Homebuyer-Homeowner – Cindy Butterfield
 - iii. ROSS Grant – Cheryl Cloud
 - iv. Inspections/Project Management – Dennis Spinner
 - v. Maintenance – Mike Gurnoe
 - vi. Finance/Procurement – Jean Defoe
 - vii. Planning/Admin/Development – Cheryl Cloud
6. Old Business
 - a. Action on Annual Audits (4) – Jean Defoe
 - b. Residency Wait List Requirement – Cheryl Cloud
7. New Business
 - a. 2020-2021 Snow Plow Rates – Mike Gurnoe
 - b. Residential Evictions/CDC Order– Cheryl Cloud/Blake Gross
8. Executive Session – **Scheduled to begin at 5pm**
 - a. Grievance Hearings (4) – Colleen Hyde/Blake Gross
 - b. Tenant Request (1) – Colleen Hyde/Blake Gross
9. Executive Session Actions
10. Other
11. Adjourn

Posted 9/17/2020



- Age 17-24 with no high school diploma or GED?
- Interested in getting paid while you earn your high school diploma or GED?
- Looking to strengthen your employability skills?
- Willing to help the community while helping yourself better your own life?
- Wanting to earn an education award to go towards post-secondary schooling?

Chippewa Fresh Start YouthBuild might be for you!

The Program

Participants work together for 28 hours each week (Monday - Thursday) and over the course of one year, they will be involved in every phase of new home construction. In addition to this hands-on learning experience, part of each day is devoted to education. Participants will complete classes leading to a high school diploma, GED, or HSED. Fresh Start also provides the resources and support needed to stay on the road to success including leadership development, substance abuse education, motivation, health and nutrition training, independent living skills, career planning and job search assistance.

For more information:

Contact Hayley VanTil at (715) 682-9141 ext. 104 or
hvantil@nwcep.org
Or Tom Kovach at tkovach@nwcep.org



NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR 17-24 YEAR OLDS INTERESTED IN:

- ♦ Earning \$60/day to earn a GED/HSED and a Pre-Apprenticeship Certificate (PACT)
- ♦ Gaining employment skills & connections while building a house in Red Cliff
- ♦ Receiving one-on-one guidance finding a job, help applying for and enrolling in college, and a \$2900 education award

RCCHA Job Openings

Red Cliff Chippewa Housing Authority is hiring! Click [HERE](#) to view and apply for Housing Authority employment.

Current open positions:

Survey Manager



Legendary Waters Resort & Casino

Temporary Closure

Legendary Waters Resort & Casino is temporarily closed in compliance with the Red Cliff Tribal Council Stay at Home Order.

Any persons with campground reservations, hotel reservations, or access to the marina will be contacted by Legendary Waters staff.

Continue to check for status updates on Legendary Water's Facebook page.

Stay safe!



News Across Indian Country

2020 Virtual Mikwendaagoziwag Ceremony

**~ Save the Date ~
September 30**

Join us for an afternoon of history and remembrance of the Sandy Lake tragedy.

Panelists include regional tribal leadership, our partners at the Army Corps of Engineers, and special guests.

Details available soon:

www.glifwc.org

www.facebook.com/GLIFWC



“They are Remembered”



Sokaogon Chippewa Community

3051 Sand Lake Road, Crandon, WI 54520
Phone: (715) 478-7500 * Fax: (715) 478-5275



MEDIA RELEASE

September 19, 2020

Contact: Jake Godin, SCC ICS Public Information Officer
(715) 622-1521
public.info.officer@scc-nsn.gov

SOKAOGON CHIPPEWA COMMUNITY PARTNERING WITH ASTREA TO BRING HIGH-SPEED INTERNET TO TRIBAL COMMUNITY RESIDENTS.

Sokaogon Chippewa Community Tribal leaders recently approved a partnership with Astrea to complete a Fiber to the Home (FTTH) construction project that will bring high-speed internet to community residents. Astrea, has started the first phases of the construction project and construction is anticipated to be completed later this year. Upon completion, Tribal residents will have the option of subscribing to high-speed internet, tv and phone services directly through Astrea.

"The Astrea team is grateful for the opportunity to partner with the Sokaogon Chippewa community on this effort," says Cory Heigl, Vice President. "At Astrea, we believe that you shouldn't have to sacrifice connectivity based on where you live and this mission is further enhanced by this partnership. Providing this infrastructure, creates a connection lifeline for the Sokaogon Chippewa community to thrive. High-speed internet is vital for not only sustaining the Tribal community but aiding in its growth. We are humbled to partner in this effort."

"This is great partnership for the Sokaogon Chippewa Community. We will now be able to provide high quality internet to nearly 200 households in the Mole Lake area. Families will no longer have to worry about connecting virtually for work or school." – Jake Godin, SCC ICS Public Information Officer

During the construction phase, Astrea construction teams will be onsite performing the necessary work to complete the fiber build. With COVID related concerns, the construction team will be continually tested under the guidance of Tribal leadership and the SCC ICS Team to ensure that they are COVID-19 free while on Tribal land. In addition, community residents are asked to maintain a safe distance from the construction work and workers. Astrea personnel are not able to assist with connection repair from a current provider.

Following project completion, the nearly 200 Tribal properties will have access to Astrea services including unprecedented rural internet speed offering ranging from 50mbps up to 1G that will enable virtual work, healthcare and schooling. In addition, with a direct fiber connection to the home, residents will enjoy a dedicated connection experience that ensures speed consistency compared to other types of broadband connections. Astrea will provide direct sales & support of the services offered to Tribal residents. Further details on product packages and pricing will be announced as programming details are solidified.

Updates regarding the progress of the project will be sent out to community members on a regular basis and members are encouraged to check the Tribal website and social channels for updates.

About Astrea

Astrea, a division of CCI Systems, Inc., is headquartered in Iron Mountain, MI and is 100% employee owned. Astrea helps connect over 60 small communities, throughout Wisconsin & the Upper Peninsula of Michigan to family, healthcare, work, education, and entertainment by providing high-speed internet along with TV and Phone services. Astrea has worked on prior Tribal projects including building a FTTH project for the nearby Forest County Potawatomi Tribe.

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ELECTION DAY IS TUESDAY NOVEMBER 3



You can vote if you are:

- a U.S. citizen
- at least 18 years old
- a WI resident for at least 28 days before Election Day
- "off papers" from a felony conviction (if convicted of a felony, you have completed terms of sentence, including probation and parole)

REGISTER TO VOTE

Get registered or check your registration status at wcv.votewisconsin.com. If you miss the deadline you can register in person when you vote on Election Day. To register, you need a **proof of residence** document.

VOTE BY MAIL

- Request an absentee ballot at wcv.votewisconsin.com/absentee.
- You will need to upload a photo ID if this is your first time requesting an absentee ballot.

The most common IDs are a WI tribal ID, Wisconsin driver's license, Wisconsin DOT-issued ID card, military ID, or U.S. passport.

VOTE IN PERSON ON ELECTION DAY, NOV 3RD

- You can register and vote in-person on Election Day.
- Make sure to bring a photo ID to vote and proof of residence to register.
- To find your polling place and a sample ballot, go to myvote.wi.gov. Polling locations are open from 7:00am to 8:00pm.

For questions about voting or getting an ID, call **608-285-2141**
For up to date voting info visit: ConservationVoices.org/NativeVote

SAVE THE DATE: Virtual Training

October 5 - 8:10 am-6 pm EST & October 9: 9 AM - 1 PM EST



NATIVE AMERICAN ENTREPRENEURS:

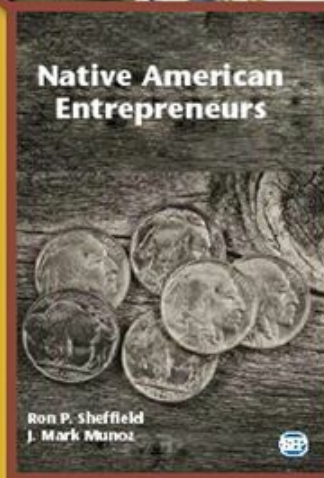
Learn How to Make
Your Dream a Reality

INSTRUCTOR:

Dr. Ron Sheffield

OBJECTIVE:

From idea conception to marketing, this training will provide both group and individual level guidance to help launch your business. Bring an open mind, willingness to learn, and a real desire to form your business.



NATIVE
LEARNING CENTER

6363 Taft Street
Hollywood, FL 33024
954-985-2315



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#WORKFORCEWEDNESDAY

GET TO WORK! INFORMATION SESSION ON EMPLOYMENT HELP AVAILABLE IN NORTHWEST WISCONSIN

Join us via Facebook Live on September 30th at 10 AM to learn about the employment resources available to you. Organizations presenting include:

**NORTHWEST WISCONSIN CEP
OFFICE OF VETERAN EMPLOYMENT SERVICES
WORKFORCE RESOURCE, INC.**

Listen, Ask
Questions and
Understand how to
access services
during COVID-19

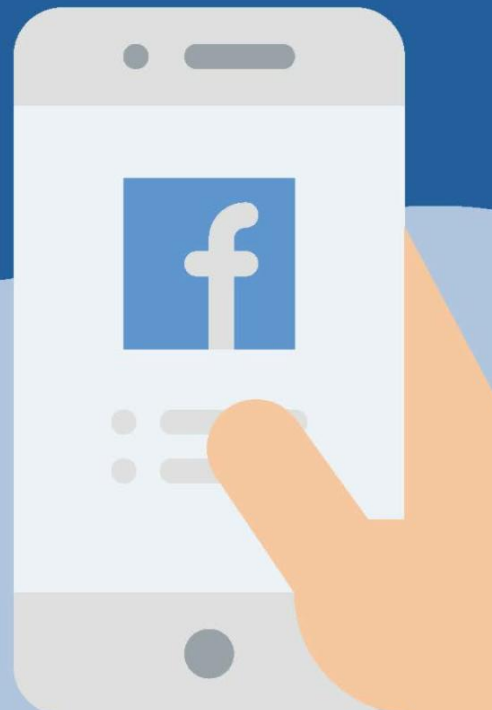


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HOSPITALITY FOUNDATIONS

INFORMATION SESSION



Hospitality Foundations

Information Session Purpose:

- Provide program updates
- Petition for program review
- Upcoming events

JOIN VIRTUALLY

September 22 or 23, 2020
3:30 pm- 4:30 pm

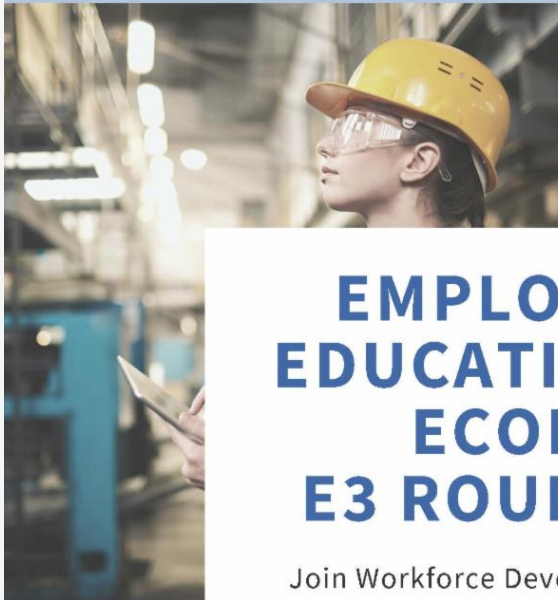
Questions? Contact: Heidi Diesterhaft

715.234-7082 Ext. 5522 | heidi.diesterhaft@witc.edu

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witc.edu/hospitality-foundations . 800.243.9482

EMPLOYERS! We want to hear from you!



EMPLOYMENT, EDUCATION & THE ECONOMY E3 ROUNDTABLE

Join Workforce Development Partners on

Friday, September 25th | 10 - 11 AM
Via Zoom

to discuss your business's employee
training needs & learn about grant
opportunities!

REGISTER TODAY AT
WWW.NWWIB.COM/EVENTS



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FACEBOOK LIVE EVENT

Navigating Medicare During the Pandemic

Join Us!

Tuesday, September 22nd at 10:00 am

As Elders are unable to gather together because of the COVID-19 Pandemic, Tribal Elder Benefit Specialists, GLITC and Wisconsin Judicare Indian Law Office are hosting a live event to keep Elders informed.

**Medicare Basics:
To Medicare or
Not to Medicare**
Presenter: Lisa Ludwig

**Senior Medicare Patrol:
Scams and Frauds**
Presenters:
Mary Wolf, Ingrid Kundering
and Bill Terrio

**Senior Care,
Part D and
Open Enrollment**
Presenter:
Lynnette Maskewit

**Social Security
Retirement Basics**
Presenter:
Lisa Ludwig

**Supplemental
Security Income (SSI)**
Presenter:
Lisa Ludwig

**Special Rules for
Native Americans and
Judicare Services**
Presenter:
Desmonde Bennett

GLITC



LIVE BROADCAST STARTING AT 10:00 AM

Following each event, there will be a 10 minute break.

join us at: <https://www.facebook.com/glitcads>

PRESENTERS:
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Desmonde X. Bennett
Staff Attorney Sawyer County
Wisconsin Judicare, Inc.
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GLITC Tribal Technical Assistance Center
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Lynnette Maskewit
Elder Benefit Specialist
Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin
715-799-5688

Ingrid A. Kundering, MBA
Senior Medicare Patrol Project Manager
Greater Wisconsin Agency on Aging
Resources (CWAAR)
SMP Helpline: 888-818-2611
gwaar.org/senior-medicare-patrol



Model Food Code Free Handler and Harvester Training

Everyone welcome!

Please join us for GLIFWC's Traditional Model Food Code's Food Handler and Harvester Training! It's a 4 hour virtual training for food handlers, harvesters, processors, food service personnel, and interested

September 22nd & 23rd

(5:00 pm- 7:00 pm)

To register, click the link in the post!

**4 Hour Training to Include: Traditional Food
HACCP plans,
Traditional Model Food Code and more!
Participants will receive a Certificate of
Completion upon completing training
requirements.**



Questions? Please contact
project staff: LaTisha Coffin
(715-685-2128) or Owen
Schwartz (715-685-2147)



Community Updates

Interested in upcoming events?

[View our Events Calendar.](#)

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